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METHOD OF ACQUIRING AN IMAGE OF A NON-DERMATOGLYPHIC ZONE OF THE SKIN OR OF A ZONE OF THE HAIR BY MEANS OF ACQUISITION APPARATUS INCLUDING A NON-OPTICAL SENSOR

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